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SUBJ: CONSULTATIVE GROUP ON BANGLADESH

1. YATABE, HEAD, FIRST ECONOMIC COOPERATION DIVISION (LOANS), ECONOMIC COOPERATION BUREAU, FONOFF CONFIRMED TO EMBOFF PRESS REPORT THAT FONOFF HAD RECEIVED REQUEST FROM GBD FOR COMMODITY LOAN OF $30 MILLION AND PROJECTS LOAN OF $78 MILLION. FONOFF AT THIS TIME HOPES TO OBTAIN INTERMINISTERIAL AGREEMENT FOR GOJ TO RESPOND POSITIVELY TO GBD ON COMMODITY LOAN AT TIME OF CG MEETING. LOAN WOULD BE ON BEST TERMS GOJ CAN PROVIDE, THAT IS, OVERSEAS ECONOMIC COOPERATION FUND LOAN WITH THREE PERCENT INTEREST RATE AND TWENTY- FIVE YEAR REPAYMENT PERIOD INCLUDING SEVEN YEAR GRACE PERIOD. FONOFF DOES NOT PLAN SIMILAR RAPID ACTION ON REQUESTS FOR PROJECTS LOAN SINCE IT BELIEVES COMMODITY AID NEEDED MORE QUICKLY.

2. YATABE CONFIRMED PRESS REPORT THAT HEAD OF GOJ DELE- GATION WILL BE MIKANAGI, DIRECTOR- GENERAL, ECONOMIC COOPERATION BUREAU, FONOFF.

3. YATABE ASKED IF HE COULD BE BRIEFED ON USG VIEWS ON
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FORTHCOMING CG MEETING AND USG POSITION ON AID TO BANGLADESH.

4. ACTION REQUESTED. EMBASSY WOULD APPRECIATE INFORMATION REQUESTED IN ORDER TO BRIEF YATABE.
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